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Major General John A. Samford
Chairman, Joint Intelligence Committee
The Joint Chiefs of Staff
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear General Samford:

I have given to your memorandum of 12 April 1954, on "Agreed Activities," the consideration which a subject of such importance to the intelligence community requires. I see no alternative but to bring the matter up for discussion at the IAC with a view to an eventual determination of our respective functions in the clandestine field by the NSC. However, before presenting the matter to the IAC, I desired to assure myself that you saw no objection to such procedure.

Faithfully yours,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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